


REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

1. Applicant takes notice that the drawings are not objected to.
2. Claims 1-18 and 22 are rejected under 35 USC §112, second paragraph. Claims, 1, 15, 16, 18 and 22 are currently cancelled. The above amendment traverses this rejection for the non-cancelled claims in accordance with the Examiner's comments.
3. Claims 1-12, 16-18 and 22 are rejected under 35 USC §103(a) as unpatentable over Martin. However, the above amendment traverses this rejection in that the not cancelled claims have been made dependent upon allowed claim 21 so that for at least the same reasons as for claim 21, these claims are in condition for allowance as well. Applicant asks that the Examiner provide a notice of allowance for claims 2-14, 17, 20 and 21. Claims 20 and 21 were previously allowed.
4. A petition and fee for extension of time in the present response of 1 month is enclosed herewith. Therefore this amendment is timely filed as of the date of deposit shown below.
5. Applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowance be issued in this case.

Respectfully submitted,



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